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July 31, 2002

TN REGULATORY AUTHORITY
DOCKET ROOM

Hon. Chairman Sara Kyle
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Re: In Re: BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Entry into Long Distance
Interlata Service in Tennessee Pursuant to Section 271 of the
Telecommunications Act of 1996
Docket No. 97-00309

Dear Chairman Kyle:

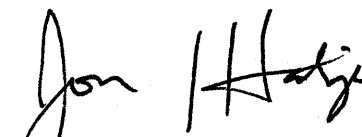
Enclosed please find the original and fourteen (14) copies of an Application for
Permission to Appear Pro Hac Vice for Susan Berlin, attorney for WorldCom, Inc. in the above-
captioned docket which we would appreciate your noting filed.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC

By:


Jon E. Hastings

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Enclosures

**BEFORE THE
TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

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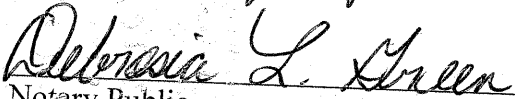
Pursuant to Rule 19 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee, Susan J. Berlin, attorney for WorldCom, Inc. (hereinafter "WorldCom") hereby makes application for permission to appear and to participate in the above-referenced case on behalf of WorldCom and its intervened subsidiaries and in support of this application states as follows:

1. The undersigned, Susan J. Berlin, has a residence address of 950 Rupley Drive NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30306 and a business address of 6 Concourse Parkway, Suite 3200, Atlanta, GA 30328.
2. The undersigned has entered an appearance on behalf of MCI WorldCom in the above-referenced matter.
3. The undersigned is in-house counsel for MCI WorldCom.
4. The undersigned is currently licensed, is in good standing, and is admitted to practice in the State of Texas (Bar # 00783645) and no disciplinary action or investigation of Susan J. Berlin's conduct is pending.
5. The undersigned agrees to subject herself to the jurisdiction of this Authority in any manner arising out of her conduct in such proceedings and agrees to be bound by the rules governing the conduct of attorneys appearing before this Authority.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned requests that she be admitted *pro hac vice* to appear and participate in the above-styled case on behalf of MCI WorldCom.


Susan J. Berlin

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 30th day of July, 2002.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public, Gwinnett County, GA
My Commission Expires Nov. 12, 2004

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing has been hand delivered or mailed to the following persons on this the 31 day of July, 2002.

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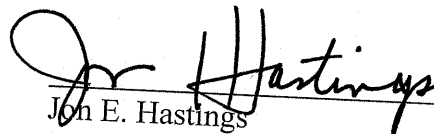
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